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Commissioner of Conservation  
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Re: Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A  
Vernon Field  
Jackson Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Asprodites:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORPORATION**, for the calling of a public hearing, after ten (10) days legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Vernon Field, Jackson Parish, Louisiana, for which rules and regulations were established and drilling and production units were created for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate by the 798-B Series of Office of Conservation Orders, including the unit designated LCV RA SUB:

1. To permit the applicant to drill, designate and utilize the following wells as alternate unit wells for the LCV RA SUB: Dankin 21 No. 1 Well, Head 22 No. 1 Well, and Hodde 22 No. 2 Well, in the Vernon Field, Jackson Parish, Louisiana, said wells to be at the locations shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, in exception to the spacing provisions of the 798-B Series of Office of Conservation Orders.

2. To find that these wells are necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the reservoir covered by the unit which cannot be so drained by any existing well within such unit.

3. To permit the operator to produce the unit allowable in accordance with the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 798-B-4, effective June 14, 1994 (at a rate equal

to the combined rate at which the unit well and the alternate unit well or wells located on the unit are capable of efficiently producing).

4. Except to the extent herein designated, to continue in full force and effect the provisions of the 798-B Series of Office of Conservation Orders and the units created thereby.

5. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

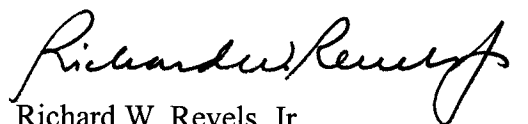
The Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Vernon Field, Jackson Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 798-B, effective January 23, 1981, as amended by Order No. 798-B-1, effective August 18, 1982.

The applicant is requesting permission to drill, designate and utilize the Dankin 21 No. 1 Well, Head 22 No. 1 Well, and Hodde 22 No. 2 Well as alternate unit wells for the LCV RA SUB. These wells will permit efficient and economic recovery of hydrocarbons underlying the unit, will not adversely affect the adjacent offsetting units, and are needed to satisfy the market demand for gas and condensate from the field.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat outlining the applicant's proposal and a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties to whom a copy of this application is being sent. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, such list of parties is being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation; however, the list of parties will be provided to any party requesting a copy of it. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties.

Finally, enclosed herewith is our check on behalf of the applicant in the amount of \$700.00 made payable to the Office of Conservation representing the required hearing application fee .

Very truly yours,



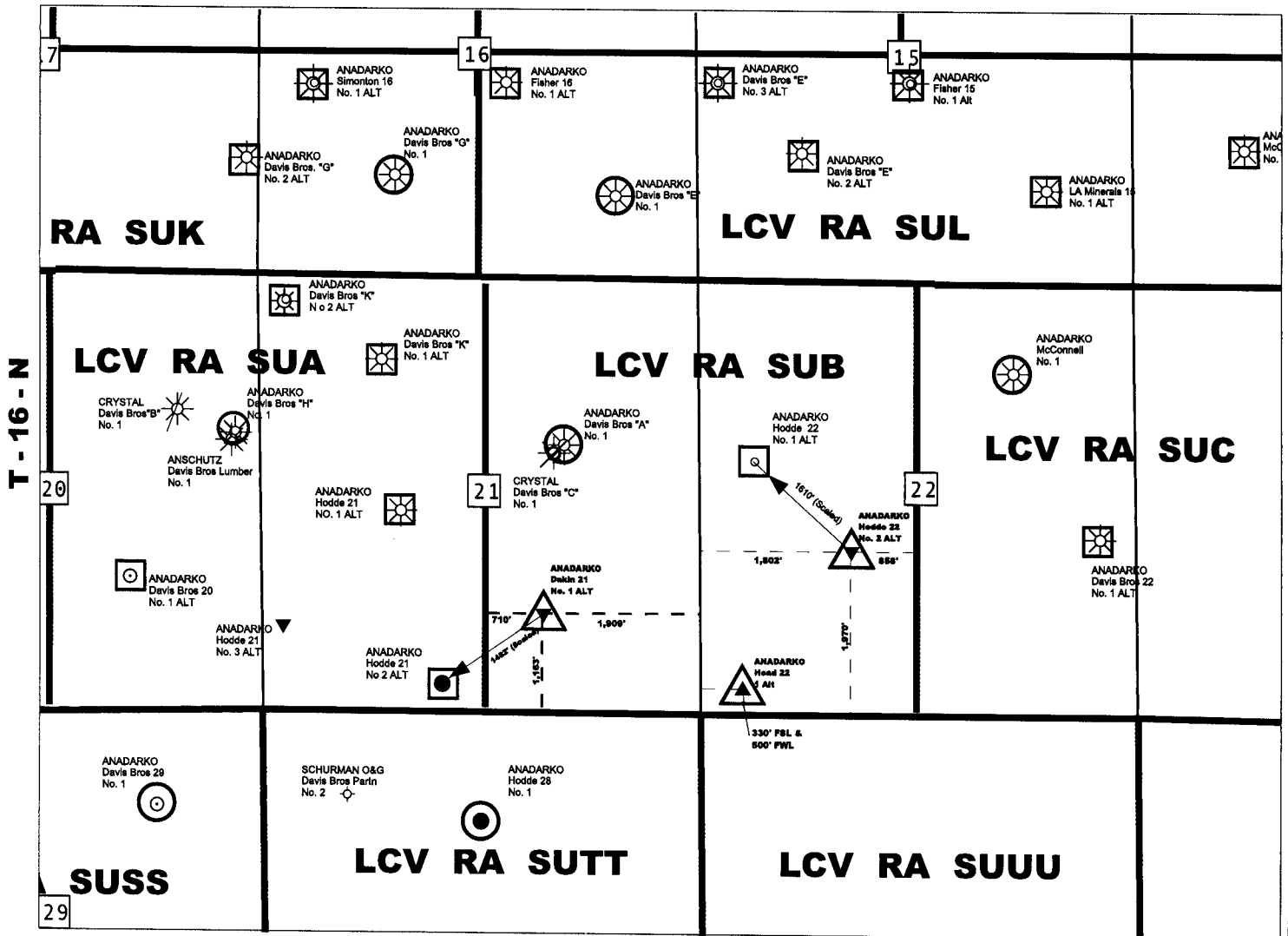
Richard W. Revels, Jr.

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cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties  
and Interested Parties

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## VERNON FIELD - Jackson Ph., LA

- ▼ APPROVED & NOT BUILT
- DRILLING
- ▲ FORECAST LOCATIONS
- PERMITTED & BUILT
- \* IN COMPLETION
- OIL
- ☀ GAS
- \* O&G
- ◇ DRY
- ⊘ ABND/SUSP
- LOC/Other

- Unit Well
- Approved Alternate Unit Well
- △ Proposed Alternate Unit Well

0 2000 Feet

### ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORPORATION

VERNON FIELD  
JACKSON PH., LA

Proposed Alternate Unit Wells  
At Exceptional Locations  
LCV RA SUB;HODDE 22 - 2 ALT  
LCV RA SUB;DAKIN 21 - 1 ALT  
LCV RA SUB;HEAD 22 - 1 ALT

Docket No.

Exhibit No.

Date: 6/11/01

By: F. A. DAVIS